

California Regional Blueprint Planning Grant
Fact Sheet
San Diego Association of Governments



Project Goal

The San Diego Association of Governments (SANDAG) is now in its implementation phase of the Regional Comprehensive Plan (RCP), the Blueprint Plan for the San Diego region, in accordance with the list of RCP Strategic Initiatives.

Project Description

SANDAG will continue to work on one of its key implementation strategies, *Improving Mobility*. The project will allow for initial work to prepare Smart Growth Urban Design Guidelines that will include a technical appendix for Multimodal Street Design and Level of Service. The Urban Design Guidelines will contribute to the regional goals of increased mobility, congestion reduction, and air quality improvements. It will address how street design can encourage alternatives to travel via single occupant vehicle by fostering neighborhood and project designs that enable more walking and bicycling for healthier communities.

Grant Award: \$409,750 for FY 2005/06

\$200,000 for FY 2006/07

Total \$609,750

Product

- Draft multimodal street design technical appendix for the Urban Design Guidelines
- Reports to SANDAG policy committees regarding the preparation of the preliminary framework for implementing Integrated Regional Infrastructure Strategy (IRIS)

Who Benefits

The project will improve the tools and information that planning professionals use for technical analysis of a variety of transportation and land use scenarios, which will assist decision makers in developing California's transportation system.



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